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IN THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LYON

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In the Matter of the Marriage of

THOMAS TENBROOK and JUDITH LEE WOOD,

Petitioners.

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The verified Joint Petition for Dissolution of Marriage of Petitioners THOMAS TENBROOK and JUDITH LEE WOOD by and through their Attorney, WAYNE A. PEDERSON, ESQ., having been presented to the above-entitled Court, praying for a Decree for dissolution of marriage pursuant to Chapter 125, Nevada Revised Statutes, and the Court being satisfied that the requirements of the law have been met, the Court now makes the following Findings of Fact:

I.

#### FINDINGS OF FACT

Petitioner, THOMAS TENBROOK, is now and for a period of more than six (6) weeks past and immediately preceding the commencement of this action, has been actually, physically and corporeally present in the State of Nevada and is a bona fide resident of said State with the intent to make said State his home for an indefinite period of time.

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Petitioner, THOMAS TENBROOK, who is over the age of eighteen (18) years, resides at 40 Kari Lane, Smith, Nevada, 89430. Petitioner, JUDITH LEE WOOD who is over the age of eighteen (18) years, resides at 40 Kari Lane, in Smith, NV 89430.

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Petitioners were married on the 20th day of April, 1991, in Bellflower, State of California, and ever since said date have been, and now are husband and wife.  $\Gamma$ V That there are no minor children born the issue of the marriage. During the marriage, the petitioners acquired certain community or joint property, and have incurred community debts. The parties hereto have entered into a Marital Settlement Agreement in which all matters pertaining to the division of community property, obligations, and child custody and support, have been settled. VI Petitioners have waived any rights to spousal support.

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Petitioners are incompatible in marriage.

#### **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

From the foregoing Findings of Fact, the Court now makes the following Conclusions of Law:

- 1. That the bonds of matrimony now and heretofore existing between Petitioners be forever and completely dissolved, and that each of the parties hereto be freed and released from all of the responsibilities and obligations thereof; and each of the parties hereto be restored to the status of a single, unmarried person.
- 2. That the Marital Settlement Agreement entered into by Petitioners on the 11th day of April, 2006, be ratified and approved by the Court and made part of its decree, and the parties be ordered to comply therewith.
  - 3. That specifically, Wife will continue medical, dental and vision coverage for husband as long as she is covered under the Bank of America Benefits program.

#### JUDGMENT AND DECREE OF DIVORCE

From the foregoing Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law, the Court now enters its Judgment and Decree of Divorce as follows:

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IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that THOMAS TENBROOK and JUDITH LEE WOOD are hereby granted an absolute and final Decree of Divorce forever dissolving the bonds of matrimony heretofore existing between them and restoring them, and each of them, to the status of a single, unmarried person.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that the Marital Settlement Agreement entered into between Petitioners be, and the same is hereby, approved, adopted, confirmed and ratified by this Court and made a part of this Judgment and Decree of Divorce, and the parties are ordered to comply with all of the provisions therein.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that Wife will continue

Dated: This 5 day of 600, 2006.

DISTRICT JUDGE

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#### "EXHIBIT A"

MARITAL SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT, made and entered into this //It day of March, 2006, by and between THOMAS TENBROOK, hereinafter referred to as "Husband", and JUDITH LEE WOOD, hereinafter referred to as "Wife".

#### WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the parties hereto were married in Bellflower, California, on April 20, 1991, and ever since that time have been and now are Husband and Wife; and

WHEREAS, there are no minor children born the issue of the marriage;

WHEREAS, disputes and unhappy differences have arisen between the parties

WHEREAS, the parties desire by this Agreement to adjust, settle and determine their respective rights and financial obligations, to terminate their community interest and determine their separate interest, and to waive future community interests in the property and endeavors of each other.

WHEREAS, all of the community property of the parties has been divided in kind or is referred to herein;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the promises and of the mutual covenants and agreements and conditions contained herein, the parties have agreed, and do hereby agree as follows:

#### 1. GENERAL PROVISIONS

A. Reciprocal Waiver of Inheritance: Each party hereto relinquishes the right to act as administrator of the estate of the other, all right to inherit from the other, and all right to receive in any manner the property of the other upon the death of the other, either under the law of succession or under community property laws, or otherwise, except as a devisee, legatee or beneficiary under any Last Will and Testament executed by either party, wherein the other party may be named in such capacity. Additionally, the parties recognize that Judith Lee Wood is named as the beneficiary of TWA Pension named in II (c)(8) of this agreement.

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В. Interest in Future Earnings and Acquisitions: Except as otherwise provided in this agreement, Husband and Wife agree that each shall henceforth own and hold property received by him or her, respectively, by the terms hereof, and likewise all property, salaries, wages, endeavors, rents, issues, profits, other earnings, benefits, pensions and receipts hereafter acquired or received by each of them, regardless of when and how earned, respectively, as his or her sole and separate property, as the case may be, free from any claim of the other, or any creditor of the other, by reason of the community property laws of the State of Nevada, or by reason of any other law or fact.

- C. Execution of Other Documents: Each of the parties hereto shall properly execute all documents and instruments now or hereafter necessary and convenient to vest the titles and estates in them, respectively, as herein provided, any time, and from time to time, shall execute all other instruments which shall be necessary or proper to effectuate the purpose and intent of this agreement. Notwithstanding the failure or refusal of either party to execute any such agreement, this agreement shall constitute a full and complete transfer and conveyance of the properties herein designated as being transferred, conveyed or assigned by each party.
- D. Independent Counsel: The parties hereto stipulate that both parties have had the opportunity to be represented in negotiations and in preparation of this agreement, by counsel of their own choosing; and both of the parties hereto have read this agreement, are fully aware of and agree with its contents.
- E. Finality of This Agreement: This agreement is entire. The parties cannot alter, amend, or modify it, except by an instrument in writing, executed by both of them. It includes all representations of every kind and nature made by each of the parties to the other. This agreement is not, in fact, nor is it intended to be an agreement for divorce. In the event. however, that either or both of the parties hereto shall secure a decree of divorce against the other, this agreement shall be submitted to the Court for its approval and, if so approved, shall be incorporated into and become a part of any final decree of divorce which may hereafter be granted to either or both parties unless both parties agree otherwise in writing. In the event this agreement is so incorporated, it shall survive its incorporation and merger, where compliance is

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ordered with each and every term contained in it, into a final judgment of divorce, and all rights and duties under this agreement shall become rights and duties under the judgement.

- F Applicable Law: This agreement is entered into the State of Nevada, and it shall be construed and interpreted under and in accordance with the laws of the State of Nevada applicable to agreements made and to be wholly performed in the State of Nevada.
- assets and liabilities, and of the values of all properties described herein, both community and otherwise. Should any obligation be found to exist other than those disclosed by the parties to each other, then the obligation shall be the sole responsibility of the party incurring the obligation, and the party incurring the obligation agrees to hold the other harmless and to indemnify same against any claim in accordance therewith. Should said liability arise from a recalculation of tax liability by the Internal Revenue Service or by a taxing authority of any state, then the obligation shall be shared by both parties. Should either party have failed, neglected or refused to disclose any community asset which may hereafter be disclosed or discovered, that asset shall be divided equally, with the party at fault being required to pay to the other a reasonable attorney's fees plus any costs incurred in processing an action to force division of the same.
- H. This agreement shall be binding upon and shall inure to the benefit of the heirs, estates, executors, administrators and assigns of the parties hereto.

#### II. PROPERTY

- A Except as otherwise provided for herein, each of the parties shall be entitled to keep and retain as his or her separate property, all of his or her personal property including, but not limited to, clothing, jewelry, books, personal papers, cameras, photographs, records, tapes, luggage, sports equipment, hobby collections; and each party hereby assigns, transfers, relinquishes and surrenders to the other any and all of his or her right, title and interest, of every kind and character, in and to any and all such property belonging to the other.
- B. The parties hereby agree and stipulate that all savings accounts, checking accounts, monies, furniture, appliances and all other personal property not otherwise disposed of

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| C. Husband reserves the night to retain as his sole and separate property any  |  |  |  |
| 4 and all property currently in his possession, and the following:   |  |  |  |
| 1. Marital residence located at 40 Kari Lane located in Smith,   |  |  |  |
| Nevada. However, upon the sale of the marital residence, Judith  |  |  |  |
| Lee Wood shall receive \$110,000.00, as and for her community  |  |  |  |
| interest.  |  |  |  |
| 2. 2004 Ford F 550, VIN # 1FDAW56P94EC22965  |  |  |  |
| 3. 2003 Teton 5th Wheel, VIN # 4M7320R2031010445   |  |  |  |
| 4. All hand tools, power equipment, garden equipment, etc., housed   |  |  |  |
| in what is know as the "Barn".   |  |  |  |
| 5. 16" flatbed cargo trailer, VIN # 4HXHD16246C104116  |  |  |  |
| 6. 2005 Yamaha Rhino, VIN # 5Y4AM04Y05A014255  |  |  |  |
| 7. IRA Account # 074-66356-14  |  |  |  |
| 8. TWA Pensions - PBGC Case # 19402500   |  |  |  |
| 9. Citi Bank Checking Account # 40029441793  |  |  |  |
| 10. Citi Bank Savings Account # 40029441801  |  |  |  |
| D. Wife reserves the right to retain as her sole and separate property any and   |  |  |  |
| all property currently in her possession, and the following:   |  |  |  |
| 1. 2004 Ford Explorer, VIN # 1FMDU75W94ZB11168   |  |  |  |
| 2. Possession of select household items to be determined at a later  |  |  |  |
| date.  |  |  |  |
| 3. IRA Account # 074-66755-11  |  |  |  |
| 4. Smith Barney Account # 074-0728-18-556  |  |  |  |
| 5. Bank of America Account # 02223-15000   |  |  |  |
| III. COMMUNITY OBLIGATIONS   |  |  |  |
| A. Husband agrees that he shall assume and pay and hold Wife harmless from   |  |  |  |
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27 28 all debts incurred by him from and after the date of execution of this agreement. Wife agrees that she shall assume and pay and hold Husband harmless from all debts incurred by her from and after the date of execution of this agreement.

- B. Husband and Wife mutually agree that neither party shall hereafter incur any indebtedness chargeable against the other or his or her estate, from and after the date of this agreement, nor contract any debt or obligation in the name of the other, and each party agrees to indemnify and hold harmless from and against any such indebtedness or obligation incurred or created by such indemnifying party. Each of the parties hereto warrants to the other that he or she has not incurred any undisclosed liability or obligation in which the other party is or may become liable.
- C. Each party agrees to cease using the parties' existing credit cards issued to Husband and Wife jointly and to secure new credit cards in his or her own name as soon as is reasonably practical, unless otherwise provided in this agreement.
  - D. Husband shall be responsible for the following community debt:
    - 1. Monthly mortgage payments, property taxes, and fire and liability insurance on the marital home located at 40 Kari Lane, Smith, Nevada.
    - 2. Auto insurance and registration on the Ford F 550, and the 2003 Teton 5th Wheel.
    - 3. His monthly portion of the Bank of America benefits invoice, for a total of \$78.23, to include any and all increases.
    - 4. His monthly John Hancock invoice.
  - E. Wife shall be responsible for the following community debt:
    - 1. Debt owed for the 2004 Ford Explorer, along with auto insurance and registration.
    - 2. Her monthly John Hancock invoice.
    - 3. Wife will continue medical, dental, and vision coverage for husband as long as she is covered under the Bank of America

### 1 Benefits program. 2 IV. SPOUSAL SUPPORT. The parties hereby waive any rights to spousal support now, and at all times in the 3 future. 4 5 V. TAXES. 6 The parties agree to file single on their income tax returns for 2006. 7 VI. ATTORNEY'S FEES. 8 As partial consideration for the signing of this agreement, both parties agree to 9 bear their own attorney's fees and costs. 10 11 IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have hereunto set their hands this //th/ day 12 13 14 15 16 STATE OF NEVADA 17 ) ss. COUNTY OF LYON 18 \_\_\_\_, 2006, personally appeared before me, a Notary 19 Public, THOMAS TENBROOK, known to me to be the person who executed the within 20 instrument, who acknowledged that he executed the above instrument freely and voluntarily for 21 the purposes therein stated. 22 23 24 25 //// //// 26 1111 27

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STATE OF NEVADA SS. COUNTY OF LYON -3 \_, 2006, personally appeared before me, a Notary Public, JUDITH LEE WOOD, known to me to be the person who executed the within instrument, who acknowledged that she executed the above instrument freely and voluntarily for the purposes therein stated. **NOTARY PUBLIC** 

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- 2. I have also received a copy of the FIRST AMENDED COUNTERCLAIM OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, the FIRST AMENDED COUNTERCLAIM OF WALKER RIVER PAIUTE TRIBE, the CASE MANAGEMENT ORDER (Apr. 18, 2000), two copies of a NOTICE OF APPEARANCE AND INTENT TO PARTICIPATE, a copy of the ORDER DISCLAIMER OF INTEREST and related form, a copy of the ORDER REGARDING CHANGES IN OWNERSHIP OF WATER RIGHTS and related form, two copies of this instrument (WAIVER OF SERVICE OF NOTICE IN LIEU OF SUMMONS), and a means by which I can return the signed waiver to you without cost to me.
- 3. I agree to save the cost to me of service of a Notice in Lieu of Summons and an additional copy of the FIRST AMENDED COUNTERCLAIM OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA and the FIRST AMENDED COUNTERCLAIM OF THE WALKER RIVER PAIUTE TRIBE in this lawsuit by not requiring that I (or the entity on whose behalf I am acting) be served with judicial process in the manner provided by Rule 4 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.
- 4. I understand that if I waive service of a Notice in Lieu of Summons, I must mail a NOTICE OF APPEARANCE AND INTENT TO PARTICIPATE to Susan L. Schneider, attorney for the United States, and I may use the same envelope provided for return of the waiver of service.
- 5. I (or the entity on whose behalf I am acting) will retain all defenses or objections to the lawsuit or to the jurisdiction or venue of the Court except for objections based on a defect in the Notice in Lieu of Summons or in the service of the Notice in Lieu of Summons.

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Duty to Avoid Unnecessary Costs of Service of Notice in Lieu of Summons

Rule 4 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure requires certain parties to cooperate in saving unnecessary costs of service of the Notice in Lieu of Summons and the First Amended Counterclaims. An entity (such as yourself) located in the United States who, after being notified of an action and asked by a plaintiff (here the United States and Tribe) located in the United States to waive service of a Notice in Lieu of Summons, fails to do so will be required to bear the cost of such service unless good cause be shown for its failure to sign and return the waiver.

It is not good cause for a failure to waive service that a party believes that the claims of the opposing parties are unfounded, or that the action has been brought in an improper place or in a court that lacks jurisdiction over the subject matter of the action or over its person or property. A party who waives service of the Notice in Lieu of Summons or to the service of the Notice in Lieu of Summons or to the service of the Notice in Viau of Summons), and may later object to the jurisdiction of the court or to the place where the action has been brought.

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We want no part of these proceedings

Exhibit 185